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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Non-Provisional) mailed <u>September 22, 2004</u>, Applicants wish to remove Jeremy Webster as an inventor in the subject application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.48(f)(1). The Declaration filed on August 27, 2004 in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, was not executed by Jeremy Webster for this reason. Applicants submit the following documents in response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Non-Provisional):

- 1. Replacement Application Data Sheet (2 pages)
- 2. Petition for 4 Month Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a)
- 3. Copy of Notice of Incomplete Reply mailed September 22, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application. Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

• The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration: Webster Jeremy

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